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In re patent application of
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For: COMPOUNDS HAVING LECTINIC PROPERTIES AND THEIR
BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITIES

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of October 27, 1999, the Applicants respectfully
request reconsideration in light of the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

On page 1, lines 1 and 2, replace "Compounds having lectinic properties and their
biological applications." with the following:

C1
--COMPOUNDS HAVING LECTINIC PROPERTIES
AND THEIR BIOLOGICAL APPLICATIONS

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

1. Field of the Invention--.

On page 1, between lines 6 and 7, add the following:

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--2. Description of the Related Art--.

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02 FC:117 870.00 OP